

Minutes for Board of Canvassers - February 18, 2022 For the Spring Primary Election held February 15, 2022

Friday February 18, 2022 at 9:00 a.m.
Eau Claire County Courthouse, Room 3312

At 9:01 a.m. the Board of Canvassers convened with Pamela Hicks, a Democrat, Carol Cox, a Republican and County Clerk Sue McDonald present to canvass the results from the February 15, 2022 Spring Primary election. Matthew Lehner, a candidate for County Supervisor District 18 was present also.

County Clerk Sue McDonald gave an overview of how the canvass would proceed.

The two races being canvassed were County Supervisor Districts 9 and 18. There were four municipalities and three wards in the City of Eau Claire that were within these two Supervisory Districts. All reporting information was present. A tabular report for the races was given to each canvas member. This report was used to confirm correctness when comparing each reporting unit's Inspector's statement signed by poll workers with the individual results tapes from election night.

The total voters from the Inspectors' Statement was compared to the total vote counts per reporting unit with calculations being made to verify only the number of voters for the Supervisory District races were counted as some polling places had ballots that did not include the Supervisory District races. County Clerk Sue McDonald read the individual tape for each reporting unit and Pam Hicks and Carol Cox compared that number to their tabular report totals. Carol Cox compared the number to the Inspector's statement.

No changes were made to the number of votes cast for any of the candidates on the ballot. The numbers were approved as received.

The following is a comparison of the number of voters listed on the Inspectors Statement and actual ballots cast into the machine for each reporting unit. Where there is an asterisk there is a difference in the totals with an explanation of why that is:

Municipality	Voters	Ballots
Town of Brunswick	264	264
Town of Drammen	64	64
Town of Union	71	71
Town of Washington	54	54
City of Eau Claire Ward 63	0	0
City of Eau Claire Ward 20	41	42*
City of Eau Claire Ward 57	80	79**

* A Ward 24 voter was accidentally given a Ward 20 ballot at the polling place. This was noted on the inspector's statement and would cause the machine to show a count of one more ballot than number of voters in Ward 20 and one less ballot cast than number of voters in Ward 24.

** A Ward 57 voter was accidentally given a Ward 27 ballot at the polling place. This was noted in the inspector's statement and would cause the machine to show a count of one less ballot in Ward 57 than number of voters and one more ballot cast in Ward 27 than number of voters.

Upon completion of the tally a summary statement of the Board of Canvassers was signed and later uploaded to the Election results page of the County website. A copy of the statement is attached to this report.

Names were drawn for the ballot order placement on the April 5, 2022 election ballots for both Districts.

For District 9 the order will be:

1. Donald Mowry
2. Allen Myren

For District 18 the order will be:

1. James A. Dunning
2. Matthew Lehner

The board adjourned at 9:40 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sue McDonald
Eau Claire County Clerk